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Town of Warner

1907

ANNUAL REPORT

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OF THE

FINANCIAL AFFAIRS

OF THE

TOWN OF WARNER

INCLUDING REPORTS FROM THE

Board of Health, School Board, Librarian,
High School Committees, Etc.,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1907.

WARNER, N. H.:
KEARSARGE INDEPENDENT AND TIMES PRINT
1907.

VALUATION OF TOWN APRIL 1, 1906.

Real estate,	\$546,009
Polls, 333,	33,300
Horses, 359,	21,601
Mule,	30
Oxen, 68,	3,770
Cows, 661,	17,473
Neat stock, 334,	5,052
Sheep, 334,	1,234
Carriages, 50,	1,355
Stock in public funds,	7,000
Stock in banks,	2,550
Money on hand,	12,610
Stock in trade,	51,230
Mills and machinery,	11,000
Total valuation,	\$714,214
Rate in town, \$1.86. Tax in town, \$13,284.38.	
Valuation of precinct,	\$196,833
Rate in precinct, 42c. Total tax in precinct, \$826.80.	

TREASURER'S REPORT.

RECEIPTS.

Balance in treasury, Feb. 15, 1906,	72 28
W. M. Flanders, collector, taxes of 1905,	235 37
W. M. Flanders, taxes of 1906,	13791 99
W. M. Flanders, Page tax paid after abatement,	3 90
W. M. Flanders, Clough tax refunded,	1 90
Temporary loan from Citizens National Bank,	500 00
Borrowed of treasurer of S. F. H. S. fund,	5091 07
Merrimack county, support of poor,	737 34
Merrimack county, support of dependent soldier,	4 70
State of N. H., state road balance 1905,	19 90
State of N. H., state road 1906,	346 23
O. E. Jewell, town clerk, dog licenses,	186 80
State License Commission, 1906-1907,	45 00
State License Commission, balance from 1905-1906,	1 91
State treasurer, insurance tax,	16 50
State treasurer, railroad tax,	1693 51
F. A. Clark, cash for concrete,	207 30
State treasurer, savings bank tax,	2428 28
State treasurer, literary fund,	137 25
State treasurer, school fund,	233 33
Interest on Foster fund,	300 56
Selectmen, use of town hall,	20 68
	-----26075 80
Paid out by order of selectmen,	24569 52
Balance on hand Feb. 15, 1907,	1506 28
	-----26075 80

Respectfully submitted,

ANDREW J. HOOK, Treasurer.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

TOWN ORDERS.

Town officers,	897 90
Highways,	2406 07
Breaking roads,	560 21
Town poor,	93 90
Watering troughs,	36 00
Miscellaneous,	9054 90
Cemeteries,	16 55
Electric lights,	620 00
Fire district,	800 00
High school,	2002 00
Library,	587 95
Schools,	3768 06
School supplies,	217 01
State road, 1905 balance due,	200 00
State road 1906,	1327 55
Cheney bridge,	307 75
Concrete,	438 40
Parsonage fund,	44 52
Damage to sheep by dogs,	25 00
Fighting wild fire,	318 40
Brown-tail moth nests,	73 92
W. E. Davis,	1 80
Abatements,	11 52
County poor,	755 41
Dependent soldier,	4 70
	———— 24569 52

TOWN OFFICERS.

E. L. Carroll, auditor,	2 00
L. H. Cogswell, auditor,	2 00
A. E. Kirk, dog constable,	15 00
G. D. Osgood, supervisor,	18 00
A. H. Currier, supervisor,	18 00

G. L. Flanders, supervisor,	18 00
A. J. Hook, treasurer,	40 00
L. E. Davis, truant officer,	8 00
H. M. G. Colby, school board,	40 00
E. C. Cole, school board,	40 00
F. W. Johnson, school board,	40 00
J. F. Merrill, board of health,	15 00
E. C. Cole, board of health,	10 40
C. H. Jones, board of health,	10 00
O. E. Jewell, town clerk,	30 00
R. F. Pratt, tree warden,	19 50
H. N. Lewis, school treasurer,	15 00
W. J. Cloues, supt. high school, making catalogues,	25 00
E. K. Colby, selectman,	125 00
C. H. Watson, selectman,	125 00
F. A. Clark, selectman,	125 00
W. M. Flanders, police,	8 00
A. E. Kirk, police,	2 00
W. M. Flanders, collector 1905,	17 00
W. M. Flanders, collector 1906,	130 00

 897 90

HIGHWAYS.

W. D. Brill,	11 90
Fred Drown,	86 43
J. P. Hill,	157 25
F. I. Hill, running road machine,	328 50
C. Mason,	134 34
Ira Hardy,	255 03
George A. Smith,	11 35
C. E. Currier,	5 65
F. G. Clough,	35 85
W. H. Annis,	88 96
D. S. Harriman,	92 13
L. G. Coburn,	173 00
Frank Clark,	122 32
C. M. Colby,	32 84
F. P. Merrick,	60 17
W. F. Perkins,	49 70
E. K. Colby,	228 20
John H. Chase,	81 25
W. M. Colby,	65 40
C. F. Annis,	63 01

L. E. Davis,	13 95
G. S. Cilley,	97 14
A. H. Nelson,	106 23
C. E. Sawyer,	10 50
J. B. Worthen,	16 50
I. Z. Morrison,	5 70
Herbert Flanders,	1 65
Sebastian Colby,	3 15
W. Sargent,	8 10
Scott Jones,	11 84
C. P. Bartlett,	34 10
H. J. Brown,	13 93

2406 07

BREAKING ROADS.

George Sweatt, running roller,	60 00
B. F. Adams,	133 00
W. D. Brill,	6 50
C. L. Mason,	9 92
Ira Hardy, running roller,	111 47
F. T. Kelley,	12 10
F. G. Clough,	11 32
W. H. Annis,	10 85
Charles Abbott,	1 65
D. S. Harriman,	1 60
L. G. Coburn,	2 50
F. P. Merrick,	9 15
W. M. Colby,	19 70
W. F. Perkins,	11 93
E. K. Colby,	22 75
G. G. Martin,	4 30
L. E. Davis,	82 55
Herbert Flanders,	1 50
Warren Sanborn,	2 77
Byron Clark,	3 15
J. C. Graham,	3 75
A. D. Farnum,	11 75
J. M. Downs, running roller,	22 00
J. P. Hill,	4 00

560 21

MISCELLANEOUS.

F. C. Brockway, plowing sidewalks,	41 20
Dolly M. Dimond, rent of land,	1 00

F. A. Clark, expense in St. John case,	5 00
Joseph St. John, damage on highway,	35 00
County tax,	2428 66
Jewell & Lewis, spikes,	40
D. F. Fisk, bridge plank,	68 14
Ladies' Aid Society, dinners,	1 00
O. E. Jewell, return of births, deaths, marriages,	18 25
Citizens National Bank, interest,	37 50
F. A. Savory & Co., pipe,	28 05
C. H. Watson, perambulating town line,	8 00
F. A. Clark, perambulating town line,	8 00
E. K. Colby, perambulating town line,	6 00
F. C. Brockway, teams,	12 00
Scott Jones, snowing bridge,	4 00
E. H. & E. L. Carroll, plank,	44 54
Davis, Martin & Co., hall supplies,	11 80
F. B. Turner, blacksmithing,	6 30
State tax,	1910 00
M. T. Ela, plank,	16 41
E. J. Jones, interest note W. D. Trumbull,	5 25
E. J. Jones, interest note J. Trumbull,	10 50
J. W. Splain, care of tramps,	24 38
J. Hadlock, castings for machine,	27 90
F. A. Clark, before State Board of Equalization,	2 50
F. J. Constantine, notes and interest,	1746 03
A. J. Hook, postage,	5 32
P. F. Clough,	4 35
B. C. Flanders, interest on Foster fund,	187 85
F. C. Brockway, driving hearse,	141 00
Citizens National Bank,	5 00
G. G. Martin, lumber,	31 20
A. E. Kirk, snowing bridge,	10 50
A. E. Kirk, killing and burying horse,	2 00
C. L. Mason, snowing bridge,	2 00
O. E. Jewell, return of births, deaths, marriages,	72 20
W. E. Davis, care of tramps,	2 75
F. A. Savory & Co., hardware,	9 95
M. Tisdale, return of marriage,	25
F. W. Drown, planking bridge,	15 03
Citizens National Bank, interest,	2 08
Nancy Ordway, gravel,	5 00
Citizens National Bank, note and interest,	537 50
J. P. Hill, brick,	4 00

E. C. Cole, printing town reports,	69 00
F. A. Clark, two collector's books,	2 80
F. A. Clark, two trips to Concord,	5 00
Express on casting,	1 35
J. M. Downs, fixing walks,	6 75
F. A. Savory & Co., tile, etc., two bills,	76 01
Ira Hardy, labor on bridge,	41 94
M. T. Ela, plank,	55 71
Carl Jewell, water tub,	1 50
A. C. Royder, supplies for board of health,	5 25
F. C. Brockway, removing dead horse,	3 00
J. F. Merrill, examining Anderson boy,	1 50
J. F. Merrill, return of births and deaths,	6 50
O. E. Jewell, return of births, deaths, marriages,	23 25
O. E. Jewell, telephone, express and postage,	7 28
R. F. Pratt, supplies for tree warden,	2 80
H. N. Lewis, wiring hall and repairs,	13 06
John Folsom, surveying town line,	1 75
Minot Stearns, surveying town line,	2 00
E. C. Cole, printing,	9 50
F. A. Clark, telephone, postage, etc.,	2 76
H. R. Tewksbury, note with interest,	1158 40
Rent of Locke pasture,	12 00
	<hr/> 9054 90

PAID FOR SUPPORT OF COUNTY POOR.

Edward Leranger,	10 68
Alfred Langro,	6 29
Morgan child,	5 00
G. D. Harriman,	6 31
George O. White,	7 00
Nathan Sargent,	84 00
Fred Davis,	62 56
Mary R. Moody,	105 74
Dan Stone,	65 00
Mrs. Robert Whittier,	64 28
Mrs. A. E. Harvey,	40 00
George D. Barnes,	65 00
Mrs. Joseph Willard,	18 07
Sanville children,	215 48
	<hr/> 755 41
C. W. Brown, dependent soldier,	4 70
Albert Flanders, town poor,	93 90

Concrete walk, \$207.30 obtained by subscription, 438 40

PARSONAGE FUND.

W. M. Flanders,	17 26
M. T. Ela,	17 26
A. J. Davis,	10 00
	————44 52

DAMAGE TO SHEEP BY DOGS.

James W. Hill,	3 50
C. C. Jones,	3 50
Geo. L. Flanders,	18 00
	————25 00

FIGHTING WILD FIRE.

James W. Hill,	13 00
Will Palmer,	13 00
J. C. Burbank,	4 00
G. R. Burbank,	6 00
G. E. Gilmore,	9 80
Fred Andrew,	55 00
C. H. Watson,	16 00
E. K. Colby,	13 60
Brown & Amidon,	141 00
F. A. Clark,	18 00
J. H. Chase,	17 00
S. B. Clark,	12 00
	————318 40
Contoocook Electric Light Co., street and hall,	620 00
Fire District appropriation,	800 00
Support of S. F. H. S.,	2002 00

PILLSBURY LIBRARY.

Appropriation,	475 24
Interest on 3-8ths of Foster gift,	112 71
	————587 95

TOWN SCHOOLS.

Appropriation,	3534 73
Received from State,	233 33
	————3768 06
Supplies for schools,	217 01
F. I. Hill, balance due on State road, 1905,	200 00
Osgood Construction Co.,	1327 55
Cheney bridge,	235 00
Work on Cheney bridge,	72 75
	————307 75

CEMETERY ACCOUNT.

S. B. Clark, care of Pattee lot,	3 80
S. B. Clark, mowing Tory Hill cemetery,	75
J. A. Wadleigh, mowing cemetery,	2 00
Moses Trussell, Davisville cemetery,	5 00
F. M. Colby, Harriman lot,	5 00
	———16 55

WATER TROUGHS.

S. B. Clark,	4 00
W. W. Davis,	10 00
L. A. Davis,	2 00
F. B. Sargent,	2 00
Ellen S. Hardy,	2 00
J. W. Clement,	2 00
S. B. Clark,	2 00
F. P. Rogers,	6 00
A. J. Davis,	2 00
Bartlett Bros.,	4 00
	———36 00

BROWN-TAIL MOTH.

R. F. Pratt,	19 77
C. D. Currier,	26 40
W. C. Clough,	3 66
E. F. Clough,	1 92
J. Clark,	5 25
R. F. Pratt,	10 71
Eugene Bailey,	3 33
Scott Jones,	1 02
Harry Rogers,	1 86
	———73 92
W. E. Davis, care town hall from Feb. 15 to April 1,	1 80

ABATEMENTS.

Mrs. D. C. Colby,	7 80
A. P. Davis,	3 72
	———11 52

ABATEMENTS, 1905.

J. D. Bradley,	2 37
R. L. Coburn,	1 95
Geo. Carter,	1 95
J. B. Flanders,	3 48
B. A. Gage,	1 95

G. D. Harriman,	6 59
Wm. Partridge,	1 95
F. Reynolds,	1 95
Wm. Welch,	2 54
C. H. Thompson,	11 70
Warren Dow,	8 46

————44 89

1906.

Henry Annis,	83
G. W. Bagley,	5 71
Arthur Chase,	42
C. W. Coolidge,	2 28
D. C. Colby est.,	3 72
James Caldwell,	2 79
Parker B. Craig,	1 86
S. J. Dimond,	5 59
Frank B. Gove,	1 11
Goodwin & Sargent,	7 44
C. A. Parker,	1 86
C. H. Sawyer,	1 86
G. S. Davis,	3 19
W. P. Melvin,	9 30
J. D. Bradley,	2 28
Samuel Blood est.,	5 58
M. Beauclair,	2 23
Carrie E. Gilmore,	7 92
George Gilmore,	2 73
B. A. Gage,	1 86
C. D. Morse,	10 23
Sallie W. Melvin,	9 30
Wm. Partridge,	2 33
Otis Woods,	1 86
M. Whittemore,	1 77
Harry Crawford,	2 28

————98 63

NON-RESIDENT.

J. H. Dunbar,	93
C. F. Dustin,	66 96
J. R. Leeson,	7 44
Morrison & Peasley,	26 04
I. D. Merrill est.,	5 58
Chas. D. Rand,	1 49
T. Sanborn,	3 72

————112 16

DOG ACCOUNT.

84 males, 1 year,	168 00
5 females, 1 year,	25 00
1 male 11 months,	1 83
1 " 10 "	1 67
3 " 9 "	4 50
5 " 6 "	5 00
2 " 3 "	1 00
	<hr/> 207 00
Less commission, 101 dogs at 20 cents each,	20 20
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Paid treasurer,	186 80

THE JOHN FOSTER GIFT.

The income of \$3,000 to be used for the expenses of Pillsbury Free Library and the income of \$5,000 to be used in aiding the worthy poor of the town, not paupers. The selectmen report as follows:

Merrimack County Savings Bank,	52 50
Manchester Savings Bank,	53 43
New Hampshire Savings Bank,	80 00
Loan and Trust Savings Bank,	53 42
Amoskeag Savings Bank,	61 22
	<hr/> 300 56
Paid B. C. Flanders,	187 85
Paid F. M. Colby,	112 71
	<hr/> 300 56

STANDING OF THE TOWN.

ASSETS.

Uncollected taxes of 1906,	170 84
Due from Merrimack county,	18 07
Cash in the hands of treasurer,	1506 28
	<hr/> 1695 24

LIABILITIES.

Notes payable to treasurer of Simonds fund,	23000 00
Notes payable to Citizens National Bank,	1515 62
	<hr/> 24515 62

SUMMARY.

Total liabilities,	24515 62
Assets,	1695 24
Net debt,	<hr/> 22820 38

Net debt of Feb. 15, 1906, 21789 83

Increase of debt, 1030 55

Respectfully submitted,

F. A. CLARK, } Selectmen
C. H. WATSON, } of
E. K. COLBY, } Warner.

Warner, N. H., Feb. 20, 1907.

This certifies that we have examined the accounts of the selectmen, treasurer and collector of taxes for the year ending Feb. 15, 1907, and find them correctly cast and proper vouchers for all money paid out, with a balance of \$1,506.28 in the hands of the treasurer.

E. L. CARROLL, } Auditors.
L. H. COGSWELL, }

REPORT OF THE ALMONERS OF FOSTER FUND

FOR YEAR ENDING FEB. 15, 1907.

Another year has passed with its joys and sorrows. The ever recurring wants of humanity have been in evidence. And we have had the pleasure and privilege of relieving some of these pressing wants by the use of the income from this wise gift. Surely a lasting monument is being erected year by year to the memory of the giver that surpasses in beauty and durability that of granite or marble. The following is a statement of present standing:

Balance from last year,	185 40
Check returned, given last year,	5 00
Received of selectmen Feb. 2, 1907,	187 85
	—————378 25
Disbursements,	143 36
Present balance,	234 89
	—————378 25

Respectfully submitted,

B. C. FLANDERS, } Almoners of the
JOHN B. RAND, } Foster Fund.

This is to certify that we have examined the accounts of the almoners of the Foster fund and have found them correctly cast and properly vouched for to date.

F. A. CLARK, } Selectmen
C. H. WATSON, } of
E. K. COLBY, } Warner.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF PINE GROVE CEMETERY ASSOCIATION.

YEAR ENDING FEB. 1, 1907.

Cash received,	41 13
Cash paid out,	40 70
Cash on hand	-----43

SAVINGS BANK ACCOUNT.

On deposit, N. H. Savings Bank, Feb. 1, 1906,	279 83
Dividend No. 119,	11 16
Total assets,	-----291 37

TRUST FUNDS HELD BY THE ASSOCIATION.

FRANKLIN SIMONDS FUND.

Paid for care of lot, 1906,	25 50
Amount on deposit in N. H. Savings Bank,	437 26

IRA HARVEY FUND.

Paid for care of lot, 1906,	2 50
Amount on deposit in N. H. Savings Bank,	54 25

W. K. BARTLETT FUND.

Paid for care of lot, 1906,	2 00
Amount on deposit in N. H. Savings Bank,	50 50

ABIJAH WATSON FUND.

Paid for care of lot, 1906,	4 00
Amount on deposit in N. H. Savings Bank,	107 23

W. AND G. C. SANBORN FUND.

Paid for care of lot, 1906,	3 00
Amount on deposit in N. H. Savings Bank,	104 41

B. F. HEATH FUND.

Paid for care of lot, 1906,	3 00
Amount on deposit in N. H. Savings Bank,	106 69

NEWELL CARR FUND.

Paid for care of lot, 1906,	2 00
Amount on deposit in N. H. Savings Bank,	50 00

G. C. GEORGE FUND.

Paid for care of lot 1906,	2 00
Amount on deposit in N. H. Savings Bank,	50 00

JOHN JOHNSON FUND.

Amount on deposit in N. H. Savings Bank,	52 66
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G. A. BEAN FUND.

Paid for care of lot, 1906,	1 33
Amount on deposit in N. H. Savings Bank,	100 00

TIMOTHY DAVIS FUND.

Paid for care of lot, 1906,	1 33
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Amount on deposit in N. H. Savings Bank,	100 00
E. M. DUNBAR FUND.	
Amount on deposit in N. H. Savings Bank,	50 00
Respectfully submitted,	
FREDERICK M. COLBY, Treasurer.	

REPORT OF TREE WARDEN.

During the past year the work of the tree warden has been directed mainly against the invasion of the brown-tail moth.

So far as known, the first brown-tail moth reached Warner in 1904, two empty nests, which must have been made that fall, having been found in the spring of 1905. Public attention was at once called to the arrival of the pest, and to the danger of its spread.

In the spring of 1906, an examination of the orchards and roadsides showed that the brown-tail moth was making headway, especially in the eastern parts of the town. Notices were published in the *Independent*, posters put up, bulletins circulated and a bounty of 5c a nest offered. During the spring, the tree warden collected and had brought him, and destroyed 165 nests. Still the brown-tail moth spread, and during the fall of 1906 and up to Feb. 15, 1907 (though the bounty was reduced to 3c), the tree warden collected and had brought him, and destroyed 2,317 nests. The total for the year was 2,482 nests—all containing caterpillars—an average of 300 to a nest.

The brown-tail moth has now spread all over the eastern and northern parts of the town, through the central part (89 nests having been found in Warner village), south to the Liberty Union district, and west to Roby's. Unless earnest and concerted effort is made, the brown-tail moth will soon become a serious problem; and the tree warden takes the opportunity to urge all land owners to go over their trees and remove the nests before the leaves start, for then the little caterpillars, which hibernate through the winter, spread over the trees and are practically out of reach.

R. F. PRATT, Tree Warden.

STATE ROAD ACCOUNT.

Under Chapter 29 of the Laws of 1899, towns are required to raise 1-4 of 1 per cent. of their valuation for maintenance of roads, provided, however, that no town is required to raise an amount exceeding \$50 per mile of road. The valuation of the towns for 1907 and the actual mileage of roads in each town cannot be definitely stated at this date, hence the amounts opposite A and C below are approximate only. Subject to the above statement, the following amounts relate to Warner.

A. Amount required to be raised under law of 1899,	1785 53
B. Additional amount if town applies for state aid,	357 00
C. Total minimum amount required to be raised if town applies for state aid,	2142 53

If no application for state aid is made in 1907 the town is required to set apart and expend for permanent improvement the sum of \$714. If the town applies for state aid under the law of 1905, a joint fund for the town is formed, as follows:

Set apart by town under Section 3, Chapter 35,	714 00
Set apart by town under Section 4,	357 00
Apportioned by state under Section 5,	428 40

Total joint fund raised in 1907,	1499 40
Unexpended balance from previous years,	125 47

Total available fund,	1624 87
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The unexpended balance from funds of previous years is divided between the town treasury and state treasury, as follows:
Amount in town treasury, \$89.68; in state treasury, \$35.79.

JOINT FUND ACCOUNT.

	1905	1906	Total
Town contribution,	1027 50	1071 00	2098 50
State contribution,	410 80	428 40	839 20
Total joint fund,			2937 70
Town disbursements approved,		2728 60	
State disbursements for surveys, etc.,		83 63	
			2812 23
Paid by state to town,	719 78		
Balance in town treasury,		89 68	
Balance in state treasury,		35 79	
Total unexpended balance,			125 47
			2937 70

A. W. DEAN, State Engineer.

RESIDENT TAX-PAYERS FOR 1906.

NAMES.	State, County, Town, and School Tax.	Precinct.	NAMES.	State, County, Town, and School Tax.	Precinct.
Adams J. K.	29 76	6 72	Bartlett N. C. est.	18 60	
Adams John F.	2 23	50	Bartlett Mary C.	14 38	
Adams C. W.	1 86	42	Bartlett Charles	4 65	
Adams Fannie S.	26 04	5 04	Bartlett Everett	3 91	
Annis Henry	9 02	2 04	Bartlett Woodbury	7 91	
Andrew Fred	18 79		Bailey G. W.	7 44	
Annis Myra L.	14 88	3 36	Bailey E. P.	1 86	
Abbott Mrs. Blanche	21 18	5 46	Bailey Bert D.	3 72	
Arlin Dan K.	9 30	2 10	Blood Samuel est.	5 53	
Annis Paine D.	25 76		Bachelor, C. A.	8 13	
Annis Chas. F.	25 44		Bean Joanna	13 76	
Annis Chas. C.	17 15		Bean H. J.	6 51	
Annis Geo. W.	11 16		Bean Edwin E.	1 86	
Annis Walter H.	15 43		Bean Ellen F.	18 60	
Abbott C. D.	1 86		Brown Mrs. Betsey N.	9 63	
Abbott Lizzie M.	9 67		Brown Willis E.	4 02	
Ager John C.	74 40		Bartlett Hazen	1 86	
Ager Frank P.	7 91		Brown Harry	1 86	
Aiken William W.	21 08		Billings S. H.	1 86	
Anderson W. L.	7 44		Bartlett Luther	1 86	
Adams J. K. & C. W.	188 98	12 96	Bartlett J. W.	22 60	
Bailey Bertie D. & Son	4 46		Boclair M.	1 86	
Bartlett Charles P.	77 47	2 10	Bagley Alberton	1 86	
Bean Fred	43 80	9 89	Bagley G. W.	20 40	
Blake Charles	1 86	42	Brown Georgia B.	7 44	
Blake Leroy	1 86	42	Bean Alonzo	3 53	
Benton C. A. est.	48 27	10 48	Bartlett Bros.	193 91	10 19
Brockway Geo. E.	1 86	42	Bartlett Fred A.	1 86	
Blue J. M.	1 86	42	Bunnell H. E.	2 79	
Brockway F. C.	37 20	8 40	Babbitt N. J.	29 48	
Brockway Mrs. Fred C.	22 32	5 04	Bean Chas. E.	17 11	
Bailey Oliver est.	27 90	4 62	Bean D. S.	37 20	
Buswell Hiram, Est.	26 04	5 88	Bean W. H. Est.	22 32	
Burbank H. A.	3 72	84	Brown H. J.	23 79	
Burbank Mrs. M. H.	5 58	1 26	Burrill Sarah	9 77	
Burbank Eliza	2 79		Bryant F. H. F.	9 58	
Burbank David S. est.	21 86		Bullard Nancy D.	6 61	
Burbank J. C.	31 43		Bullard H. H.	4 65	
Badgers S. E. Miss	27 90	6 30	Brown Thomas	1 86	
Bradley Mrs. J. D.	52 08	11 76	Bartlett Marietta	13 95	
Bradley J. D.	1 86	49	Burbank Geo. R.	2 64	
Bagley W. T.	3 26	74	Bean L. S.	18 60	
Bartlett T. H.	33 31		Brill W. D.	7 91	

Brasso Wilber	1 86			Coburn R. L.	1 86		
Burbank Amanda	2 65			Coburn W. A.	8 37		
Brown Wm. A.	1 86			Clark George H.	2 23		
Carroll E. H.	134 85	23 94		Cole & Courser	52 80	12 60	
Carroll E. H. & E. L.	82 68	6 13		Cutting W. G.	1 86		42
Chase Will A.	1 86	42		Cutting Carl	3 72		42
Chase John H.	53 94	5 04		Clark Byron	4 28		
Chase Louis N.	114 04	22 21		Cloues W. J.	1 86		41
Chase Edgar A.	34 97	7 90		Clough P. F. ex.	13 02		
Chase Arthur G.	1 86	42		Chandler Lucy L. H.	37 30		
Carter Fred	4 74			Chase Claude C.	2 44		
Clement J. W.	27 44	5 78		Craig Parker B.	3 26		
Carroll E. L.	1 86	12		Cushing Harry	1 86		42
Courser T. J.	40 92	7 56		Coolidge Dr. C. W.	3 26		71
Clough P. F.	35 31	7 98		Cummings K. F.	19 72		
Cogswell J. R.	115 32	15 12		Cummings Earle	1 86		
Cogswell E. K.	9 30	2 10		Courser Fred W.	1-1 72		
Cogswell Lloyd	4 65	63		Currier Issa har	13 02		
Couch S. A.	21 39	4 41		Corliss Mrs. F. E.	23 25		
Cole E. C.	48 36	10 50		Campbell Bros.	9 30		
Colby Fred M.	3 72	84		Caldwell Arthur	1 86		
Clark Fred A.	39 80	8 99		Clark Edwin	5 95		
Clough P. F. trustee,	27 90	6 30		Crawford Harry	1 86		42
Cogswell Ellen C.	14 88	1 26		Dwyne Jesse M.	14 49	3 05	
Currier Clair E.	5 58			Davis Leon	1 67		
Currier Adelbert	1 86	42		Drown Ormand	2 79		
Chase Jacob	11 41			Davis Albert P.	36 27	12 20	
Crowther Mrs. Nancy	5 58	1 26		Davis W. E.	1 86		42
Courser T. J. trustee,	3 72			Davis Gilman S.	14 12	3 19	
Chase Augustus est.	1 32			Davis Willie N.	1 86		42
Chase A. H.	27 42			Davis W. W.	19 07	4 31	
Clark Mrs. Grace	25 11			Davis Chas. S.	50 21		
Clark S. B.	13 93			Davis, Martin & Co.,	167 47	34 02	
Chase Chas. D.	1 86			Dow Geo. F.	27 90	6 30	
Currier Charles	76 04			Dimond S. J.	24 71	5 89	
Currier Chas. D.	19 21			Dowlin Hannah	5 58	26	
Currier Walter S.	16 55			Dimond Dolly M.	18 00	4 20	
Clark Frank	4 39			Duso Mrs. Joseph	1 65		
Clark Georgianna	11 16			Duso Frank	1 86		
Chase Sarah P.	7 91			Duso Will	1 86		
Chase H. P.	1 86			Dowlin F. W.	29 76	6 72	
Clark Chas. O.	13 95			Davis Frank	1 86		
Clark Geo. H.	19 47			Drown F. W.	6 51		
Clough Mrs. F. G.	74			Drown F. L. est.	11 16		
Clough F. G.	48 23			Dunbar W. C.	34 61		
Connor I. K.	26 41			Dunbar Fred	1 86		
Connolly C. P.	18 60			Davis Chas. C.	2 23		
Connolly Carl B.	1 86			Davis Nath'l A. Est.	13 95		
Clough George H.	1 86			Davis Lucretia	37 20		
Cole Chas. C.	11 16			Dow Emily R.	325 50		
Chase Augusta G.	20 46			Dow Herman A.	177 39		
Chase Fred A.	27 44			Drown J. D.	2 60		
Colby John S.	28 37			Davis Fred W.	18 60		
Colby Mary C.	1 86			Davis Herman W.	19 79		
Cheney Mary A.	5 58			Davis Homer M.	21 33		
Colby Sebastian	3 26			Davis James A. est.	8 37		
Colby F. G.	1 86			Davis Mrs. S. W.	3 72		
Colby C. M.	20 78			Dudley E. A.	19 07		
Colby James L.	9 73			Davis H. C. and H. J.	30 69		
Caldwell James	8 37			Davis H. C.	110 67		
Colby Daniel C. est.	24 27			Davis H. J.	7 44		
Colby Warren M.	16 83			Davis Fred E.	25 28		
Colby Edward K.	46 04			Davis Douglas	33 28		
Collins B. F.	4 19			Davis L. E.	62 31		
Collins Mrs. Horace	11 72			Davis Edgar W.	5 58		
Coburn L. G.	15 81			Davis Samuel est.	12 09		
Coburn Perley B.	3 72			Davis Moses E.	13 67		
Chandler Wm. E.	160 89			Davis A. J.	18 50		
Cilley G. S.	35 90			Dow George	2 04		
Clogston Fred	6 57			Davis John F.	6 98		
Colby Will C.	15 53			Davis Chan E.	7 91		

Duplisse Carrie L.	3 72		Graham Mrs. J. C.	32 46	
Davis H. R.	48 36		Graham George P.	1 86	
Drown Mrs. J. D.	3 71		Goodwin G. N.	14 88	
Davis Wm.	1 86		Goodwin & Sargent	18 60	
Davis J. B. est.	8 37		Gage Albert N.	4 52	
Davis Mattie S.	15 62		Gilmore Matilda	38 50	
Davis F. Evans est.	78 00		Gage Lenning A.	1 86	
Dowlin H. C. est.	18 60		Gage Leon S.	1 86	
Dowlin J. H.	69 38		Gage Roger W.	4 86	
Duplisse Will	1 86		Hemphill Harry	1 86	42
Dowlin Sophia A.	51 15		Hardy Mrs. C. E.	24 18	5 46
Dow Warren H.	23 72		Hardy C. H.	3 72	84
Eaton Land Co.,	46 50	10 50	Hardy Mrs. Alice	22 32	5 04
Eaton Mrs. Betsey	22 32	5 04	Harriman L., heirs	18 60	4 20
Edmunds G. F.	6 98	1 58	Harriman Leonard	1 86	42
Ela John C.	31 62	7 14	Harriman E. C.	21 41	
Ela Mason T.	118 11	25 41	Harris H. G., heirs	42 78	7 56
Emerson Morton	2 70	63	Hall Will R.	43 54	
Emerson J. F.	46 47		Heath B. F. est.	29 76	6 72
Ewins John H.	23 06		Hill John P.	40 46	7 98
Farnum A. D.	42 52		Hill Martin G.	26 04	5 88
Flanders Geo. C.	3 94		Hook A. J.	19 07	3 36
Flanders C. U.	1 86	42	Holmes Mason	1 86	42
Fish Arthur G.	1 86	42	Heath Fred H.	3 72	84
Frazier Mary S.	33 20		Hardy Edwin R.	3 72	
Ferrin H. E.	1 86	42	Harriman G. D.	5 95	
Flanders Mrs. G. C.	14 88		Harriman D. S.	25 11	
Forsyth Edward L.	1 86	42	Hall George B.	23 25	
Flanders J. B.	6 51		Harriman F. W.	10 60	
Flanders W. H.	23 25		Hall George H.	1 86	
Flanders H. C.	14 25		Hardy Ira J.	8 20	
Flanders L. wis	12 56		Hardy J. C.	31 62	
Flanders Oliver	12 42		Hardy Arthur J.	3 72	
Foster Clarence	105 85		Hutchinson Lucy est.	7 44	
Fraser Will C.	9 11		Bartshorn H. G.	7 22	
Fisher M. M.	33 39		Hardy James	13 02	
Fisher E. M.	18 60		Harriman Sylvanus	16 83	
Flanders Sarah L.	15 44		Harriman Mrs. Sylvanus	11 16	
Flanders Edward H.	1 86		Harriman Mrs. D. C.	8 72	
Flanders W. M.	25 58		Harriman Almira est.	12 35	
Flanders B. G.	27 62		Hoyt S. G.	2 23	
Flanders L. G.	9 30		Hoyt Barnard, heirs	5 58	
Flanders C. M.	11 81		Hunkins H. W.	3 72	
Flanders Herbert	9 11		Henley Michael	8 28	
Flanders G. L.	6 14		Harriman D. C. est.	5 59	
Flanders F. G.	5 53		Holland A. H.	11 72	
Flanders Fannie C.	5 58		Hambleton Edmund	1 86	42
Flanders Archie	1 36		Hambleton Bros.	18 60	4 20
Flanders Wilson B.	11 16	2 52	Hutchins Roy	11 16	
Flanders Albert C.	2 14		Hutchins Guy	4 19	
Flanders, Orville	1 86		Houghton G. E.	9 49	
Flanders Clayton C.	1 86	42	Howell F. H.	8 00	
Flanders W. H.	2 88		Harriman W. C.	3 72	42
Flanders Mrs. W. B.	22 88	5 17	Hill James	1 86	
Flint M. W.	1 86		Ingalls A. D.	12 18	
Flanders Harry W.	1 86		Jewell Oscar E.	25 92	2 52
Goodwin Chas. E.	1 86		Jewell & Lewis	37 07	8 51
George Mrs. N. B. Est.	37 20	8 40	Jordan E. M.	7 40	20
Gienty Mrs. Emma	8 18		Jordan M. S. E. M.	18 60	4 20
Goss Adelbert	1 86	42	Johnson W. C.	24 18	5 46
Gilbert Joseph	1 86	42	Johnson H. W.	1 86	42
Greenlaw Delmar	1 86	42	Johnson Mrs. C. E.	27 90	6 30
Gilmore Carrie E.	7 92		Jones C. H.	2 42	55
Gilmore George	2 73		Jewell Mrs. Kate I.	14 86	3 36
George Margaret	18 60		Jones Geo. H.	27 53	
Gove Charles	20 03		Jones C. C.	37 94	
Gove Frank	7 53		Johnson Moses	16 74	
Gilmere Addison	1 86		Jewell John F.	43 27	
Gage Mrs. A. N.	9 30		Jewell Carl W.	1 86	
Gage Roger S.	11 90		Johnson H. L.	54 78	
Graham J. C.	15 16		Johnson F. W.	32 55	

Jones Scott	3 18		Osgood G. D.	37 96	
Jenkins C. M.	3 94		Ordway N. G.	153 77	20 16
Jepson A. A.	50 96	9 41	Ordway Nancy A.	65 10	
Jones Mary A.	24 18	5 46	Ordway Mrs. John	9 30	
Kearns & Creamery Co.	18 60	4 20	Pattee Esther D.	29 76	6 30
Kirk Albert E.	10 70		Pattee Dr. Will	16 74	
Kelley Alfred est.	10 37		Patten H. G. est.	23 72	5 36
Kelley Frank T.	4 65		Palmer E. W.	12 09	2 73
Kelley Will H.	4 84		Palmer Will	3 72	
Libbey Fred S.	1 86	42	Peterson C. A.	22 32	5 04
Little Wm.	11 56	2 72	Pettingill Geo.	1 86	
Little Mary W.	9 30	2 10	Putnam Eliza	7 44	1 68
Lewis Herbert N.	13 35	3 15	Putnam E. E.	2 79	63
Ludum Mrs. E. C.	18 30	4 15	Partridge Wm.	2 33	
Leeds Francis	69 10		Pillsbury S. D.	9 30	2 10
Little Miss E. R.	9 30	2 10	Paige Frank N.	12 65	
Lull Sam'l H.	10 43		Paige Charlotte est.	1 86	
Lull Herbert S. est.	16 28		Pratt Chas. S.	33 94	
Lock Clara L.	1 49		Pratt Ralph F.	1 86	
Lock Sarah A.	3 72		Pertins W. F.	34 41	
Lowry F. J.	2 36		Pierce Daniel	1 86	
Larkin John	1 86	42	Parker C. A.	4 28	
Locke Foster	1 86		Pero Louis	1 86	
Martin Geo. G.	220 17	14 28	Rand True W.	16 74	3 78
Maxson H. H.	2 36	33	Rix J. M. est.	48 36	10 92
Maxson Nettie P.	22 32	5 04	Rodney Jacob W.	5 58	1 26
Merrill J. F.	42 78	9 66	Rodney Arthur	1 86	42
Meeks Robert	4 19	33	Rogers Ruth	9 30	2 10
Morgan Wm. L.	33 76	3 42	Rogers Frank P.	7 91	74
Moulton Oliver N.	13 35		Roby Geo. S.	14 51	
Mitchell Frank C.	20 91		Royder A. C.	13 02	2 94
Mitchell Belle N.	7 65		Ryan Dennis	1 86	
Malchow Chas.	1 86	42	Ryan Wm.	1 86	
Morse Chas. D.	10 23		Ryan George	1 86	
Morri Mary C.	3 72	84	Rand Edward	11 16	
Mason Geo. A.	7 16		Rand John B.	1 86	
Mason Abner	6 88		Rand Olive	54 50	
Mason Chas. L.	16 09		Rogers G. W.	14 42	
Mussey O. J.	26 28		Rogers John	5 58	
McClure Frank	1 86		Rogers Jane D.	5 58	
Morton Harry S.	2 38		Rogers Clinton B.	1 86	
Moody Albert	33 81		Roby Moses H.	27 90	
Morgan Jacob O. est.	8 37		Redington O. P. & C. W.	209 90	12 00
Merrick C. R.	22 51		Rand Mark	1 86	
Merrick F. P.	37 46		Rix L. A.	1 86	42
Melvin W. P.	26 27		Redington M.	86	
Melvin Mrs. Harriet	17 30		Stevens W. H.	1 86	
Melvin Sally W.	9 30		Skelley John	1 86	42
Morgan C. J.	21 86		Savory Fred A. & Co.	22 32	5 04
Mason Bert H.	1 86		Story G. E.	1 86	
Morri on I. Z.	14 28		Sargent J. E.	2 33	
Morrill F. I.	33 85		Sanderson A. L.	13 17	
Maxson Geo. E.	5 58		Champney C. N.	5 58	
Marshall Albert	2 36		Sargent F. E.	30 69	5 46
Merrick Mrs. Belle H.	5 58		Sawyer O. A.	1 86	42
Morse W. H.	3 51		Sargent Walter	78 05	4 20
Mussey R. K.	1 86		Sargent F. M. est.	24 18	
Miller Charles	1 86		Stanley Mrs. Benj.	3 72	
Miller Peter	1 86		Stanley Ruth, heirs	7 44	
Moody Henry	1 86		Stanley S. T. est.	27 90	6 30
Merrick W. D.	37 20		Stevens Mrs. R. W.	22 32	5 04
Morrill H. B.	16 65		Splain J. W.	1 86	42
Marshall G. A.	1 86		Sargent Mrs. Aveline	18 60	
Marshall Mrs. G. A.	3 72		Sargent, A. W.	1 86	42
Moody Geo.	1 86		Spofford Mrs. Hygia	5 58	1 26
Nudd John	1 86		Story Alston N.	3 35	
End Horace J.	3 26		Sawyer Chas. H.	2 60	
Nelson Al H.	1 86		Sawyer Sarah A.	6 05	
Osgood C. H.	14 88	3 36	Story A. J.	10 86	
Osgood J. F.	18 45		Smith Geo. A.	1 86	

Sargent Frank	17 41		
Sanborn Warren	22 38		
Sanborn Arthur	2 94		
Sargent Miss N. C.	20 46		
Sargent F. B.	4 80		
Savory F. H.	92 87		
Savory Emma G.	14 88		
Smart Mrs. Nettie		93	
Smart J. H.	1 86		
Smart Benj.	1 86		
Stevens Fred	17 26		
Sawtell Will A.	1 86		
Sawtell Mrs. E. J.	1 93		
Sawtelle E. D.	1 86		
Seavey Harry	3 14		
Simoneau Simon	10 34		
Shurtleff J. J.	7 91		
Sanborn Joseph E.	36 55		
Stewart Mrs. L.	19 53		
Sawyer Chas. E.	20 46		
Sawyer W. G.	1 86		
Sanborn Eliza	48 36		
Sargent Morris B.	2 79		
Sargent S. C.	11 16		
Sargent Carl	7 91		
Sargent Rockwell	2 79		
Spaulding Mrs. A. C.	7 44		
Spaulding Ira	13 30		
Sanborn H. C.	1 86		
Sargent Sarah A.	7 44		
Schampney W.	1 86		
Swett G. H.	9 30		
Styves Delia	2 93		
Smith G. W.	15 29		
Savory F. A.	1 86	42	
Sisco Stephen	7 41		
Thompson Arthur	65 10	13 02	
Thompson S. L. & R. B.	48 36	10 92	
Turner F. B.	22 32	4 62	
Turner W. F.	1 86	42	
Turner R. M.	1 86	42	
Trumball Burt	1 86		
Tucker Lucinda	4 65		
Tucker Arthur	22 97		
Tewksbury Geo. N. est.	18 60		
Tewksbury H. R.	63 43		
Trussell Moses	35 66		
Trussell Susan	33 48		
Trussell Winslow	1 86		
United Box Board & Paper Co.	223 20		
Upton & Upton	37 20	8 40	
Upton George	36 74	8 36	
Upton E. E.	7 91	1 79	
Upton Geo. W.	1 86	42	
Watts Emer D.	6 51	1 47	
Waldron Isaac est.	15 07	3 40	
Watson Mrs. B. H.	31 62	7 14	
Wadsworth Mary E.	21 92	1 20	
Wadsworth Natt B.	1 86	42	
Woodward Mrs. F. A.	6 51	1 47	
Wheeler M. D. est.	27 90	6 30	
Wheeler Mrs. J. R.	18 61	4 20	
White Geo.	15 81	3 57	
Williams Adrian	2 33	53	
Williams F. L.	3 72	84	
Warner Chemical Co.	14 88	3 36	
Wilkins F. G.	37 20		
Wilkins Elizabeth	35 31		
Willard J. G.	1 86		
Willis H. S.	46 50		
Watson C. H.	21 04		
Watson Mrs. C. H.	22 32		
Woods J. F.	9 11		
Willis Mrs. H. S.	5 58		
Woods Otis	1 86		
Willis Edw ard S.	1 86		
Worthen J. B.	15 35		
Wheeler G. D. est.	21 20		
Wadleigh J. A.	10 21		
Walton Mrs. Betsey	8 37		
Woods Leon	1 86		
Wheeler Leon H.	1 86	42	
Williams G. J.	7 44	1 63	
Whittemore M.	1 77		
Whitford Geo. L.	1 86		

Non-Resident Tax Payers.

Adams B. F.	30 60		Morrill S. E.	93	
Austin H. & D. A. Colby	7 44		Morse H. W.	2 33	
Barras Ida	21 39		Montgomery Eliza	93	
Barnard Geo. E.	5 58		Merrill I. D. est.	5 58	
Barrett Edward	9 30		Noyes D. P.	18 60	
Bartlett Henry	2 79		Noyes J. H.	93	
Barley Albert W.	1 86		Ordway John T.	47	
Bernett Adelaide G.	6 51		eters Wm. H.	3 72	
Boynton Mrs. L. C.	5 58		Putnam George A.	7 44	1 63
Colby Moses	2 79		Putnam Geo. M.	20 46	
Clement Sarah J. est.	33 48	7 56	Phibrick George	4 65	
Courser C. H.	4 65		Putnam Charles R.	18 60	
Colby David A.	7 44		Piper Justin L.	2 79	
Connor Levi S.	56		Preston Brothers	33 48	
Clough Edgar M.	2 79		Page Paul T.	33 02	7 46
Conk Electric Light Co.	74 40	6 30	Perkins Mrs. John L.	9 30	
Contoack Reservoir Co.	27 90		Peasle Fred	13 02	
Coutser Anna	11 16		Roby Hiram Est.	2 35	
Currier F. C.	1 40		Rand Chas. D. est.	1 49	
Chase Fred H.	9 30		Robertson John E.	93 00	19 11
Clark John	13 65		Rand Jonathan	3 72	
Colby J. D.	5 72		Rowell Chas.	93	
Clark F. E.	7 80		Roby Fred	9 30	
Chase Wm. D.	6 32		Sanborn Tristram	3 72	
Dunbar J. H.	1 86		Sawyer Peter	5 58	
Davis Walter F. Mrs.	5 95		Seymour Rhoda W.	5 58	
Dustin Cyrus F.	93 10		Sawyer James B.	11 16	
Dustin Henry D.	3 35		Sanborn George P.	47	
Dow G. Q.	2 33		isco C. H.	2 79	
Davis B. F.	3 26		Sargent Mary C. est.	7 44	
Dodge & Barnard	55 80		Sawtell Frank M.	57 66	
Ellinwood M. M.	4 19		Sargent G. W.	11 16	
Ewins George W.	5 78		Sullivan	18 60	
Emerson Fred	2 79		Tilton Seminary	31 62	7 14
Fis Wm. T.	37 20		Tripp & Tennant	11 16	
Grant R. D.	1 86		Tucker e. L. & French	7 44	
Harris Mrs. A. G.	47		Tucker Harry A.	7 44	
Hardy Samuel est.	33 48		Town A. H.	12 09	
Hubbard Hannah	2 23		Trow Will S.	7 14	
Hardy Melinda C.	4 65		Tarr Geo. J.	9 30	
Herbert C. H.	4 65		Thompson Delia	1 86	
Hotchkiss Lumber Co.	483 00		Whittier Ira P.	1 21	
Jones Gilman	2 79		Watson Frank A.	3 07	
Jones Mrs. Susan	2 23		Watson J. M. (heirs of)	1 49	
Jones Edgar J.	1 40		Whittier Fred G.	1 02	
Jones Paul & C.	7 44		Wadleigh Milton B.	25 84	
Long Sally (heirs of)	1 86		Whitney Delia	18 60	
Leeson J. R.	18 60		Waite George O.	16 74	
Little A. C.	7 44		Wilkins James	7 44	
Morrison & Peaslee	19 76		Walker R. E.	18 60	
Merrick H. E.	9 30		Whitecomb Mfg. Co.	279 00	

REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH.

The business coming before the board has not varied much from previous years. A general epidemic of whooping cough prevailed throughout the town in the spring and early summer and then died out and beyond the discomfort and annoyance it occasioned, we know of no harmful results. Diphtheria appeared right away after Christmas and the disease has afflicted young people in four somewhat isolated families, and it is not believed that in any instance the disease was communicated to others outside the family in which each initial case started. The probable cause is defective, unsanitary drainage. Strict quarantine in these cases has been required, and fumigation with formaldehyde has been carefully attended to.

It is the business of the board not to allow any conditions to continue which are deemed to be a menace to the public health. Upon this basis any unsanitary conditions about the private residence, when known to exist, should not be allowed, for no family is entirely isolated from the rest of the world. In fact every individual has a part to perform in the matter of keeping communities in healthful conditions. The chief matters to be looked after are to have wholesome water, pure air, healthful food, cleanliness, and thoughtful care in regard to protecting the person against exposures due to erratic changes of weather conditions.

A good disinfectant and germ destroyer should be at hand and frequently used about the sink drains and vaults in every home. Decaying vegetables if allowed to remain in the cellar pollute the atmosphere of a house perhaps without being perceptible to the constant occupants.

We hope every resident of our town will become interested in better sanitary conditions and do all they can to attain this result.

J. F. MERRILL, M. D.,	} Board of Health.
C. H. JONES,	
E. C. COLE,	

Warner, N. H., Feb. 15, 1907.

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD.

The work done in the schools this year has been very successful; although we acknowledge we have not been able to accomplish in all respects what we had hoped to. The per cent. of attendance has fallen below our anticipations. This can be accounted for in part by sickness—the epidemic of whooping cough prevailing during the last term of the year covered by this report being the principal and unavoidable cause, but the failure of parents and scholars, in some instances, to appreciate the damage done to the school and the loss to the scholar by tardy and irregular attendance has contributed too largely to lower the rate of attendance, and should be avoided by the watchfulness of teachers, school board and truant officer—better still by the parents seeing to it that their scholars are not absent from school a day during the terms of school unless it be absolutely necessary.

Schools have been in session 30 weeks, 12 schools have been maintained and the number of scholars enrolled is 180.

In accordance with a previous vote of the district the school board found a favorable opportunity to unite with Bradford and Hopkinton in a supervisory district and engaged James A. MacDougall, a man experienced in the work, who entered upon the duties of supervision at the opening of the current school year. The good work of Mr. MacDougall in and for the schools is manifest to those who have observed his work. The State pays one-half of the superintendent's salary, the other half in this instance is divided equally among the three towns, making this expense for Warner School District for the current school year, \$233.33.

We include with this report the report of the Superintendent and Treasurer, all of which is respectfully submitted.

ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE

GRAMMAR—One term: Lynn Harriman, Mildred M. Sawyer.

INTERMEDIATE—Three terms: Alvah Clark, Donna Currier. Two terms: Dorris Davis. One term: Harold Cutting, Edwin Andrew, Bernice Forsaith.

PRIMARY—two terms: Raymond Johnson, Jennie Bryant. One term: Nathaniel Flanders, Earl Forsaith, William Mason.

WATERLOO—Two terms: Arnold Mackintosh, Mildred Davis. One term: Martha Davis, Edith Smith.

LOWER WARNER—Three terms: Erma M. Simoneau. One term: H. Alyn Seavey.

DAVISVILLE—Two terms: H. Emmet Bean, Elinor I. Shurtleff. One term: Ernest Hartshorn, Earl Sanborn, Florence Bean, Katherine Bean, Lenora I. Shurtleff.

BURNT HILL.—One term: Ruth H. Osgood.

MELVIN'S—One term: Harley E. Cheney.

COLLINS—One term: Helen Jameson, Harriet C. Gage, Emeline C. Gage.

JOPPA—Three terms: Milan H. Clark.

EDMUND C. COLE,	} School Board
HANNAH M. G. COLBY,	
FRANK W. JOHNSON,	
	of
	Warner.

Tabular Statement of Schools

FOR THE YEAR ENDING JULY 15, 1906.

SCHOOLS.	TEACHERS.																Wages per month.		
	Terms.	Weeks.	Number of Pupils.	Average attendance.	Reading.	Spelling.	Pennmanship.	Arithmetic.	Geography.	Grammar.	U. S. History.	Physiology.	Composition.	Drawing.	Vocal Music.	Algebra.		Number of visitors.	
Grammar.....	1	10	23	21	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	33	Clara E. Stanton	\$40.00
	2	10	33	22	24	24	24	23	24	24	24	24	24	24	24	24	29	"	40.00
	3	10	32	18	22	22	22	22	22	22	22	22	22	22	22	22	24	"	40.00
Interpreters.....	1	10	15	13	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	49	Flora Brookway	\$36.00
	2	10	14	12	14	14	14	14	14	14	9	14	14	14	14	14	28	"	36.00
	3	10	13	11	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	13	18	"	36.00
Primary.....	1	10	25	20	25	25	25	25	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	39	Gertie A. Johnson	\$28.00
	2	10	22	17	22	22	22	22	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	87	"	28.00
	3	10	22	24	32	32	32	32	6	6	6	6	32	6	6	6	33	"	28.00
Waterloo.....	1	10	18	13	18	18	18	13	14	10	10	10	10	18	19	19	Grace E. Sawyer	\$28.00	
	2	10	17	15	17	17	17	16	15	11	9	17	17	17	18	18	Lena D. Wilcox.	32.00	
	3	10	22	16	22	22	22	20	17	14	10	10	14	23	23	23	Grace E. Sawyer.	28.00	
Lower Warner.....	1	10	16	12	16	16	16	15	14	9	7	9	9	24	24	24	Abigail L. Dunbar	\$28.00	
	2	10	16	12	16	16	16	16	15	9	7	10	10	5	5	5	"	28.00	
	3	10	23	15	23	23	23	21	17	13	11	10	11	18	18	18	"	28.00	
Davisville.....	1	10	28	23	28	28	28	28	19	19	7	28	28	Blanche Wright	28.00				
	2	11	22	16	22	22	22	16	16	7	22	22	22	Blanche Melvin	32.00				
	3	10	20	15	20	20	20	20	18	4	20	20	20	J. Everett Beau.	28.00				
Melvin's Mills.....	1	10	10	7	10	10	6	8	6	5	4	4	4	13	13	13	Mary R. Fowler.	\$24.00	
	2	10	5	4	5	5	5	5	4	3	3	3	3	17	17	17	Esther E. Melvin	24.00	
	3	10	7	6	7	7	4	4	3	3	2	3	3	21	21	21	Alice S. Ames.....	24.00	
Collins.....	1	10	9	8	9	9	9	9	6	6	6	6	6	Snide L. Perkins	24.00				
	2	10	9	8	9	9	9	9	7	7	7	7	7	8	8	8	"	24.00	
	3	10	7	6	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	4	4	4	"	24.00	
Burnt Hill.....	1	10	8	6	8	8	8	5	3	4	4	3	3	7	7	7	Edith S. Colby.....	\$24.00	
	2	10	7	5	7	7	7	4	4	3	3	4	4	7	7	7	Gertrude Fland's	24.00	
	3	10	8	7	8	8	8	4	4	4	3	7	7	21	21	21	"	24.00	
Joppa.....	1	10	9	6	8	8	8	8	4	4	3	1	1	7	7	7	Ethel A. Russell.	\$24.00	
	2	10	5	5	5	5	5	5	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	"	24.00	
	3	10	5	4	5	5	5	5	2	2	2	2	2	9	9	9	Edith M. Emerson	24.00	
Liberty Union.....	1	10	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	3	4	4	6	6	6	Belle H. Merrick	\$20.00	
	2	10	4	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	5	5	5	"	20.00	
	3	10	4	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	7	7	7	"	20.00	
Burnap.....	1	10	4	3	4	4	4	4	3	3	3	2	2	16	16	16	Gertrude Fland's	\$24.00	
	2	10	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	2	2	2	9	9	9	Elizabeth Varney	24.00	
	3	10	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	2	2	2	1	1	1	"	24.00	

Report of School District Treasurer.

RECEIPTS.

Balance from last year's account,	389 28
Town of Warner, school tax,	3223 56
Town of Warner, dog tax,	168 17
Town of Warner, literary fund,	143 00
Tuition, Gage children,	13 60
Amount from State for Superintendent,	233 33
	—————4170 94

EXPENDITURES.

Salaries of teachers,	2324 10
Salary of Supt.,	373 33
Janitors,	43 00
Fuel,	167 44
Cleaning schoolhouses,	12 60
Repairs,	302 42
Conveyance of scholars,	530 70
Cole & Courser, rent,	30 00
Incidentals,	38 78
Balance,	348 61
	—————4170 94

Respectfully submitted,

HERBERT N. LEWIS, Treasurer.

We, the undersigned, having examined the accounts of the school board and treasurer of the Warner school district for the year ending Feb. 15, 1907, certify that we find them correctly cast and properly vouched, and find a balance in the hands of the treasurer of \$348.61.

ARTHUR G. FISH,) Auditors.
HARRY A. CUSHING,)

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

TO THE SCHOOL BOARD OF WARNER:

I herewith submit my first annual report as superintendent of schools of Warner.

It seems best that at this time I should give a brief statement of the work and duties of my position.

Expert supervision of schools is necessary for the same reason that expert supervision is necessary in a manufacturing establishment. No manufacturer would think of running a plant without having as manager or superintendent a man who had made that work his life study. This does not do away with the necessity of having a board of directors and other officials. Their work is as important as ever. But the superintendent is the recognized executive head.

The same is true in regard to the work of the school board and the superintendent. The chief functions of the board are legislative and judicial, while the board looks to the superintendent for the carrying out of its ideas. He has no powers except those delegated to him by the board.

His first duty is to recommend to the board efficient teachers, and, to the extent of his ability, see that inefficient teachers are not appointed. At the same time he will to the utmost of his ability seek to increase the efficiency of teachers already at work.

Then it is his duty to see that some definite program of studies is followed. School teachers are, as a class, neither better nor worse than other people; they will do only what is required of them, and will do it only as well as they are required to do it. Hence it is impossible for the board by one or two visits a term to hold the teachers to definite lines of work. The superintendent, by visiting the school as often as may be necessary, can by criticisms and suggestions both lighten the burden of the teacher's work and at the same time make it more definite and therefore more efficient.

Then again it is his duty to co-operate with school board, teachers and truant officers in securing regular attendance.

In assuming my duties here I found the teachers rather afraid that I would criticise unfairly, or too severely, or that I would offer criticisms before the pupils. My course at the first therefore was intended to get the teachers to understand that I was as anxious for them to succeed as they themselves were. In some cases our ideas of the teacher's work have not co-incided. I have found some whose chief aim seems to have been to keep parents and children happy and pleased, while I have tried to keep before them the idea that this is not necessarily an end. Their chief aim must be strong, efficient work. If this aim is kept constantly in view, and labored for tactfully, the good will of parents and children will be theirs. The aim of our public schools is and must be to fit the boys and girls for citizenship.

However, I have found, in general, a ready response to my suggestions. It is not yet easy for some to get away from the idea that they are hired to "keep school," but I have quietly yet persistently tried to keep before them the fact that they are paid *to teach*. Good order in a school room is not in itself an end, but a means to an end. Noise or disorder on the part of one pupil interferes with the good work of his fellows, and hence interferes with their success and deprives them of their rights. Respect for the rights of others must be the law of the school room as it is in the outside world.

In going from school to school I have tried to show the teacher how she could so teach the subject in hand that the pupils might get out of it the greatest amount of information and also the most mental discipline. To do this I have often taken charge of the class for a time so that the teacher might get a suggestion as to how she could better teach the subject.

It is so difficult for teachers of the outlying schools to get to the village that I have held few general teachers' meetings, but I have tried to make of each visit to a school a teacher's meeting for that particular teacher.

I found throughout the district that the standard of reading was not as high as it might be, and, as reading is the subject of prime importance in the lower grades, I have laid special stress upon its teaching, both as to methods used and also as to the amount to be accomplished.

During the first three years of a child's school life he should acquire the ability to read readily any ordinary simple English,

and he should also acquire the ability to get for himself the pronunciation of new words. To accomplish this he must be taught by some definite method the phonograms of which words are built up, and must read six to eight primers and first readers during the first year, and as many or more suitably graded books during each of the second and third years. From the beginning of the fourth year the work in reading should be chiefly for information and facility in getting thought from the printed page.

I have not found the attendance what it should be. Parents do not seem to realize the harm they are doing to their children by permitting them to stay at home, or to go to school tardy on some flimsy excuse. The children are missing a portion of the work and are therefore falling behind their fellows, and at the same time they are forming the habit of only half attending to the work they are doing. This habit will prove a serious handicap to them in after life. They should be made to feel that school is, at this stage of their lives, their chief business, and as such to be attended to closely and earnestly.

I desire to express to parents, school board and teachers my appreciation of the general hearty co-operation extended to me in my work.

J. A. MACDOUGALL, Superintendent of Schools.

SIMONDS FREE HIGH SCHOOL.

The past year of our school has been one of changes, improvements and progress. Most important changes have taken place in the teaching force. Prof. F. S. Libbey, our efficient and successful principal for five years, resigned his position, to take effect in June, 1906, in order to accept the important office of principal of the Berlin High School of this state. The high esteem in which he was held by members and friends of the school was seen in the largely attended reception given in the town hall on June 8, and by valuable gifts to himself and wife, presented by the superintendent at the annual Alumni gathering, in behalf of more than one hundred and twenty subscribers. The committee had no little difficulty in choosing his successor on account of the number of applicants. After careful consideration, the position was offered Prof. Clarence L. Joy, A. B., Dartmouth, 1899, professor of history, Latin and Greek for five years in the New Hampton Literary Institution. The offer was accepted and in August he moved here with his family. He at once commended himself to all interested in the school by the able manner in which he adjusted himself to the duties of his new work. His quiet, but earnest, manner, modern methods, scholarly attainments and fidelity to all the work of the school, confirmed the recommendations of his worth which led to his selection for the place.

After a year's service, which continued and strengthened the class room work of their predecessors, Miss Florance Bushell, assistant, and Mrs. Helen Long, commercial teacher, resigned to accept larger and more lucrative positions in Berlin and western Massachusetts respectively. Their successors were secured as soon as possible. Miss Marian D. Leach, A. B., Boston University, was chosen as assistant and Miss Florence E. Teasdale, of Smith College and Worcester Business Institute, for the commercial studies. Both entered with enthusiasm into their work and by their manner, skill and ability soon won the

respect of their pupils. Unexpectedly, in January, the offer was made to Miss Teasdale of an unusually favorable position in the Portsmouth High School, which, to the regret of all, she felt constrained to accept. However, by obtaining three weeks leave of absence from her duties in Portsmouth, Miss Teasdale made it possible for the committee to secure such a teacher as would successfully continue her work with as little break as possible. Mrs. Florence T. Davis, of the Worcester Normal School, Pierce Business Institute, Philadelphia, and Cincinnati Phonographic Institute, was at once secured. By several days' conference with Miss Teasdale, she was enabled at once to take up and continue the individual and class room work of her department without the usual week or two of preliminary inquiries and details. Her instruction promises to be of a high order. All the teachers have given considerable time outside of the class room to school duties. They have co-operated heartily with the superintendent in the effort to keep the school up to the standard now required of us.

An inspiring sermon before the graduating class was preached in the Baptist church, June 10, by the Rev. B. R. Harris of Bradford. On June 14, entrance examinations, prepared by the State Superintendent, were given 25 candidates, of whom 12 passed the required average of 70 per cent. in the 7 studies, and 6 more passed in all but 2 studies. At the fall examination, August 30, 9 were examined, 6 of whom passed, 5 were admitted on condition, 1 by previous examination, and 2 by certificate. On June 15 a class of 19 received diplomas in three departments, Classical 5, English 5, Commercial 9, of whom 3 were of the class of 1905. Prizes in spelling, English literature and Roman history, presented by Miss Persis J. Clough and Mr. George H. Sargent of Boston, were given four successful contestants. The annual alumni entertainment and reunion was held in the evening attended by a large number.

The total number of pupils connected with the school during the past year is 97—young men, 51; young women, 46. At the opening of the school, Sept. 4, there were 71 pupils in attendance, 24 new scholars, 23 students from out of town. The present enrollment is 69, young men 36, young women 33, of whom 46 are from the town of Warner and 23 tuition students.

During the summer the school property received a thorough renovation which added much to its attractiveness and healthfulness. An addition was made by the alumni to the concrete walk between the school and railroad station.

The lyceum continues to serve the social and literary needs of the school. Several entertainments and receptions have been given in the town hall under school auspices with success and good attendance.

Attention has been paid to athletic sports, but the loss of several of the best players, which made the Simonds teams so well known two years ago, has prevented the school teams from winning so large a number of games.

The school has received several gifts, among them, a palm from Mrs. Fred M. Colby, several class pictures, a valuable set of wigs from Mr. Henry Clay Barnabee of New York, and an excellent crayon portrait, suitably framed, of Prof. Libbey from the class of 1906.

In the fall a new school catalogue was issued. It was made as complete and attractive as possible, and may be referred to for additional information regarding courses of studies, changes in subjects and general management of the school, which must necessarily be omitted in the present report.

Several of the recent graduates are making good records in advanced studies in their college career. One of them, Leon S. Cole, 1903, and first graduate of our commercial department, died suddenly at Dartmouth College Jan. 8. He was a young man of promise, sterling worth, and highly esteemed by all who knew him. It was deemed advisable by the officers to close school from Jan. 15 to 30 on account of the apprehension aroused by several cases of a contagious disease in the town and as a measure of public safety. It may be said in this connection that the officers of the school are endeavoring to faithfully conserve the health of the pupils and plan to take every precaution necessary to this end. Considering the amount of sickness prevailing this winter, the number of pupils absent for illness up to the present time has been comparatively small.

Larger demands have been made upon us this year. We have planned to meet them and to keep the school up to the highest efficiency. The large number of tuition pupils places obligation and responsibility upon us of securing and giving the best service to them and to our children. The school has improved and progressed during the year. Its class room and individual work, its laboratory practice, its encouragement of the best home reading, its standard of fidelity, its present corps of teachers, its aim to secure a useful, practical and symmetrical development of all the pupil's power, its worthy record and

prestige, all combine to produce admirable results. The recent formation of a supervisory district including Warner will bring to our high school pupils better able to meet the present exactions in studies and effort. The presence of our school in the community is an invitation to parent and child alike to use its advantages and improve its opportunities to the utmost. We hope, because of its usefulness, our school will thereby commend itself more and more to its constituency and widen it. Consequently, we expect that it will be able to do more for its pupils every year, and especially for those who become teachers in the town schools. It is hoped that in the near future friends of Simonds, who have the ability to do so, will secure for us even larger and better equipment than we now have. Among our needs are more reference books, instruction in music and elocution, elementary manual training, a gymnasium, and an increase in the number of teachers.

As will be seen from this report the duties of the prudential committee and especially of its chairman, Mr. W. N. Davis, and of the superintendent have been more than ordinary, and have required and received much time and thought on their part in meeting them.

In closing I wish to express appreciation of the privilege conferred in electing me to this office, and of the co-operation I have received from pupils, officers and friends of the school in the varied and important work of the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM J. CLOUES, Superintendent.

Report of the Prudential Committee of Warner High School District.

RECEIPTS.

Former treasurer,	34 44
Trustees of fund,	1375 00
Appropriation,	800 00
Tuition,	768 95
Temporary loan,	200 00
Sale of books,	248 95
Sale of shed,	6 00
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EXPENDITURES.

F. S. Libbey, bal. on winter term,	266 67
F. S. Libbey, spring term,	466 67
Helen E. Long, bal. on winter term,	125 00
Helen E. Long, spring term,	150 00
Florance Bushell, bal. on winter term,	64 00
Florance Bushell, spring term,	133 34
Clarence L. Joy, fall term,	333 33
Clarence L. Joy, winter term,	150 00
Marian D. Leach, fall term,	133 33
Florence Teasdale, fall term,	150 00
Florence Teasdale, winter term,	87 50
Books and stationery,	349 25
A. J. Hook, insurance,	54 49
A. J. Hook, treasurer, for water,	15 00
A. J. Hook, for electric lights,	11 35
E. C. Cole, printing and advertising,	94 28
Davis, Martin & Co., supplies,	34 29
Repairs,	244 37
Interest on loan,	1 67
Temporary loan,	200 00
F. C. Brockway, coal,	118 00

G. G. Martin, wood,	36 75
M. B. Savory, tuning piano,	2 00
A. C. Royder, supplies,	5 29
Freight and express,	3 74
W. N. Davis, postage, etc.,	6 01
Lester Tucker, janitor, fall and winter term,	55 00
Lester Tucker, janitor spring term,	20 00
Lester Tucker, labor,	5 93
Harry Seavey, sawing wood,	7 88
F. W. Johnson, expenses to New Hampton,	5 39
C. L. Joy, cash paid for supplies,	12 83
Geo. L. Lincoln, chairs,	4 80
Everett Bagley, janitor fall term,	20 00
Everett Bagley, labor,	25
Mrs. F. A. Woodward, supplies,	6 05
W. J. Cloues, postage and expenses,	2 46
Cash on hand to balance,	56 42
	-----3433 34

FUND ACCOUNT.

Gross receipts from trustees of fund,	48149 77
Gross receipts from other sources	18804 72
	-----66954 49
Gross legitimate expenses,	54933 40
Gross incidental expenses,	11974 67 \
Cash on hand,	56 42
	-----66954 49

W. N. DAVIS,	} Prudential Committee.
GEORGE G. MARTIN,	
FRANK W. JOHNSON,	

We, the undersigned, auditors of the Simonds Free High School District, have examined the accounts of the committee and find them correctly cast and properly vouched, and a balance of \$56.42 in their hands.

FRED A. SAVORY,	} Auditors.
RALPH F. PRATT,	

PILLSBURY FREE LIBRARY.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

EDMUND C. COLE, President. SARAH B. DAVIS, Secretary.
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REPORT OF LIBRARIAN FOR YEAR ENDING FEB. 8, 1907. *To the Trustees of the Pillsbury Free Library:*

The following statistics show the present condition: Number of cards issued, 477; number of books given out, 7,080; number of magazines, 853; number of books used for reference, 337; accessions by purchase, 135; by binding, 27; by gifts from individuals, 57; public documents, 5; amount received from fines and transients, \$10.26. There are now 9,442 volumes on the accession catalogue.

Donors of books—Fred Myron Colby, Miss Florence Brockway, J. D. Bradley, Mrs. J. D. Bradley, Mrs. C. L. F. Locke, G. H. Sargent, Mrs. Belle H. Merrick, Mrs. M. T. Ela, Mrs. C. A. Bacheller, Mrs. Jeanie Lee Southwick, Fred H. Heath, Dr. G. T. Page, E. H. Carroll, Paul T. Page, Mrs. Gilman A. Bean, Mrs. G. H. Hill, Mrs. Clara George Barnabee, Dr. D. E. Sullivan, L. A. Rix, Hon. Wm. E. Chandler, Mrs. F. C. Brockway, Miss Hazel Williams, Rev. Wm. J. Cloues, U. S. Government, Smithsonian Institution, Library of Congress, N. H. State Library.

Donors of pamphlets, miscellany—Mrs. Oliver Bailey, Frank P. Harriman, Ezekiel W. Manby, Syracuse, Thos. W. Braddox, Hanover, Andrew Carnegie, Charles S. Pratt, Barrows Brothers, Towle Manufacturing Co., Mrs. C. S. Wheeler, Lake Mohonk Conference, M. T. Ela, Wm. D. Chandler, U. S. Government, N. H. College of Agriculture, N. H. Board of Health, Smithsonian Institution, Henry McFarland, Fred Heath.

Publishers' gifts—Independent Statesman, Weekly Union, Mirror and Farmer, Newport Argus and Spectator, Little Folks, Bulletin N. H. Library Commission, Independent and Times.

Donated or loaned by individuals—Christian Leader, Mrs. Margaret Wilkins; Boston Evening Transcript (Wednesday edition), G. H. Sargent; Outlook, Delineator, M. B. Harris; New York Times Saturday Book Review, Our Dumb Animals, Amanda B. Harris; Our Paper, L. G. Mitchell; Literary Digest, Dr. L. H. Cogswell; Christian Science Monthly, John W. Clement; Watson's Magazine, Mrs. M. A. Burke.

Periodicals subscribed for—Atlantic, Century, Collier's Weekly, Cosmopolitan, Country Life, Forum, Harper's Bazar, Harper's Monthly, Harper's Weekly, Ladies' Home Journal, McClure, New England, Outing, Review of Reviews, Scientific American, Scribner, St. Nicholas, World's Work, 12 copies of Little Folks.

It hardly need be said that again we have had a prosperous year. Although there have been no special new lines of work, the wants of the general reading public have been met in a satisfactory manner, and every advantage has been afforded the pupils in both the district and high schools. In respect to the latter, greater help than ever before has been given—a service which has been appreciated by the teachers and by most of the scholars. As usual, books have been bought for their special use.

While no books of exceptional importance have been added there have been many of genuine value to those who have an interest in our own country, such as *In and Out of the Old Missions of California*, *On the Great American Plateau*, *Old Paths and Legends of New England*, and the descriptive and historical volumes on the Ohio and Connecticut rivers.

The most valuable single book of reference is the monumental work of Rev. N. F. Carter, *The Native Ministry of New Hampshire*, which cannot be too highly praised. The largest gift is the 16 volume set of Appleton's *Cyclopedia* from Mrs. Gilman A. Bean.

Through the courtesy of Miss Winchell, city librarian of Manchester, a material addition has been made towards filling out the file of Scribner's Monthly. The Atlantic, Harper's and the Century are complete up to date. Of the 38 volumes of the Granite Monthly only 5 are lacking. As this is our New Hampshire magazine it is to be hoped that before another annual report they will be supplied.

The circulation of books in the library proper, aside from fiction, has been in this proportion—juveniles, 1252; general literature, 209; biography, 174; travel, 174; history, 152; education

and science, 113; religion, 87; miscellaneous, 158; which is considered a very creditable showing of the taste and discrimination of the readers.

A report from the two branch stations and the children's branch service is appended.

MARY BARTLETT HARRIS, Librarian.

CHILDREN'S BRANCH SERVICE.

During the spring term 12 cabinets were in service, and during the fall and winter terms 11. In most of the districts outside the central village the cabinets were kept in use during the winter and summer vacations. The teachers and the vacation custodians make favorable reports of the interest of the children in the books and magazines, and of the value of the books and magazines to the children.

During the year, from the beginning of the winter vacation in February, 1906, to the end of the winter term in February, 1907, besides the use of books and magazines at the Friday book hour, and in various ways in connection with the school work, 898 books and 346 magazines were loaned for home use—a total of 1244.

MELVIN'S MILLS BRANCH STATION.

During the past year, from Feb. 1, 1906, to Feb. 1, 1907, 29 borrowers were served; and the number of books loaned was 284, of periodicals 105—a total of 389.

DAVISVILLE BRANCH STATION.

During the past year, from Feb. 1, 1906, to Feb. 1, 1907, 30 borrowers were served; and the number of books loaned was 257, of periodicals 143—a total of 400.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

RECEIPTS.

Balance from last year's account,	143 90
From fines and transients,	9 56
From F. M. Colby, for book,	98
From town of Warner,	475 24
From Foster fund,	112 71
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DISBURSEMENTS.

Mary B. Harris, salary,	150 00
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Mary B. Harris, extra services,	25 00
Services of janitor,	26 00
Cleaning library,	1 50
P. O. box rent,	1 20
Fuel,	45 50
Postage and stationary,	4 36
Daily papers for reading room,	2 02
W. P. Melvin, expenses at Melvin's,	2 00
S. B. Davis, expenses at Davisville,	3 75
N. F. Carter, Native Ministry of N. H.,	7 00
G. E. Brockway, freight and express,	3 60
A. W. Rodney, sawing and housing wood,	5 25
Jordan, Marsh & Co., books,	150 21
Fred Bean, subscription book,	2 20
G. Waldo Brown, e with Roger's Rangers,	85
F. C. Brockway, cartage of cabinets,	10 00
H. H. Metcalf, Granite Monthly,	2 50
F. A. Savory & Co., supplies,	1 50
F. W. Dowlin, cleaning flues,	25
A. W. Rodney, mowing lawn,	1 20
Clifton Davis, mowing lawn,	60
M. B. Harris, key to cabinet,	25
C. F. Nichols, indexed book,	50
Curtis Pub. Co., sub. to Ladies' Home Journal,	1 25
W. H. Moore, subs. to magazines,	41 63
Rumford Printing Co., binding,	23 45
S. E. Cassino, subs. to Little Folks,	5 50
Davis, Martin & Co., supplies,	2 10
E. C. Cole, supplies,	3 75
Jewell & Lewis, supplies,	4 94
Samuel Ward Co., supplies,	1 50
Cash on hand,	202 03

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FREDERICK M. COLBY, Treasurer.

Warner, N. H., February 8, 1907.

This certifies that we have examined the accounts of the treasurer of the Pillsbury Free Library trustees for the year ending Feb. 15, 1907, and find them correctly cast and with vouchers for the same. Cash balance in the hands of the treasurer, \$202.03.

CHARLES S. PRATT,) Finance
 GEORGE G. MARTIN,) Committee.

TO THE SELECTMEN: In compliance with an act of the Legislature passed June session 1887, requiring clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages, and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the annual report, I hereby submit the following:

Name of the child (if any).	Date of birth.	Sex and Condition.		Name of father.	Maiden name of Mother.	Age of Father.	Color of Parents.	Residence of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.	
		Living or Stillborn.	Female.									Male.
Richard Edwin Chase.	Jan. 5	M		Delmar Greenlaw.	Elizabeth H. Sanborn	36 37	All White	Warner.	Laborer.	Deer Island, Me.	Webster.	
[Martin	Jan. 20	M		Frank N. Page.	Ida E. Peck.	46 41		"	Farmer.	Concord.	St. Johnsbury, Vt.	
Lawrence Sherman	Feb. 11	M		George G. Martin.	Helen F. Sawyer.	34 29		"	"	Bradford.	Warner.	
Sadie Etta Woodward	Mar. 21	F		George A. Woodward	Beatrice A. Emery.	41 29		Laborer.	Laborer.	Worcester, Mass.	Liverpool, Eng.	
Lyndell May Clark.	April 6	F		Ervin N. Clark.	Susan A. Chase.	38 28		"	Farmer.	Hebron, N. Y.	Warner.	
Mildred Frances Tucker	April 30	F		Arthur M. Tucker.	Annie B. Courser.	29 34		"	"	Warner.	Gilmanston.	
Robert Pillsb'y Merrill	June 22	M		John F. Merrill.	Ethelwyn Foss.	48 28		Physician.	Physician.	Grafton, Vt.	Grafton, Vt.	
Myrtle Evelyn Annis.	Aug. 17	F		George W. Annis.	Iva B. Flanders.	32 25		Farmer.	Farmer.	Warner.	Warner.	
Alice Elizab'h Shurtliff	Sept. 11	F		John J. Shurtliff.	Fannie B. Ellinwood	37 42		Sawyer.	Box Maker.	Lebanon.	Manchester.	
Robert Alton Johnson	Sept. 14	M		Herman W. Johnson	Nellie S. Paige.	28 26		Physician.	Physician.	Sunapee.	"	
Wm. Norman Cogswell	Sept. 26	M		Lloyd H. Cogswell.	Annie H. Upton.	27 26		Farmer.	Farmer.	Concord.	Alenstown.	
Helen Davis.	Nov. 2	F		Samuel D. Davis.	Frances M. Bodwell.	31 32		"	Laborer.	Claremont.	Warner.	
Muriel B. Redding	Nov. 4	F		Clarence M. Redding	Martha E. Pierce.	28 28		"	Farmer.	Webster.	Honkinton.	
Morothy May Sanborn	Dec. 4	F		Joseph E. Redding	Mary C. Ager.	28 28		"	"	"	"	

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF WARNER FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1906.

Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in years.	Date and Place of Marriage.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Single or Widowed.	Marriage.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Occupation.	Name, Residence and official station of person by whom married.
Charles N. Carter..... Eva Langlever.....	Warner..... Springfield, Vt.	21 18	April 22..... Warner.....	Laborer.....	.....	Single.....	1 Fred F. Carter..... 1 Flaven Langlever.....	.....	Montreal, Can.	Laborer.....	James J. Hogan, Clergyman.
Carl L. Cutting..... Stella M. Bean.....	Warner..... ".....	22 22	June 5..... Warner.....	Cremery Mgr. Teacher.....	Sutton..... Warner.....	" "	1 Simon G. Cutting..... 1 Fred Bean.....	.....	Haverhill, Sutton.....	Lumberman Retired.....	William J. Clouse, Baptist Clergyman Warner
Iddo K. Morrison..... Sarah F. Whittemore.....	Warner..... Pepperell, Mass.	56 56	June 11..... Warner.....	Farmer..... Housekeeper.....	Derry..... Nottingham.....	" Widowed.....	1 Iddo K. Morrison..... 3 Joseph Hoyt.....	.....	Kingston, Stratham.....	Shoemaker Farmer.....	William J. Clouse, Baptist Clergyman Warner
Fred A. Savory..... Florence E. Davis.....	Warner..... Hopkinton.....	22 20	June 27..... Concord.....	Hardware Mgr. At Home.....	Warner..... Goffstown.....	Single.....	1 Fred H. Savory..... 1 Charles C. Davis.....	.....	Warner..... Hopkinton.....	Hardware Mgr. Machinist.....	Minister of the Gos- pel, Concord William J. Clouse, Baptist Clergyman
John P. Hill..... Kate S. Hardy.....	Warner..... ".....	49 30	June 28..... Warner.....	Lumber dealer. Clerk.....	Dracut, Mass. Warner.....	Widowed Single.....	2 Isaac Hill..... 1 Charles E. Hardy.....	.....	Camb'ge, Mass. Lowell, Mass.	Farmer Painter.....	William J. Clouse, Baptist Clergyman Warner
Carlos N. Shampney..... Addie M. Carter.....	"..... ".....	42 27	July 3..... Warner.....	Laborer..... Housekeeper.....	Barre, Vt. Canada.....	Divorced ".....	2 Theodore Shampney..... 2 Fred Carter.....	.....	Barre, Vt. Canada.....	Laborer.....	William J. Clouse, Baptist Clergyman Warner
Leon H. Wheeler..... Emily S. Holmes.....	"..... ".....	22 23	Aug. 1..... Warner.....	Druggist..... At Home.....	Clinton, Mass. Warner.....	Single.....	1 John C. Wheeler..... 1 Mason Holmes.....	.....	Fletcher, Vt. Warner.....	Hotel Keeper Section Fore- man.....	William J. Clouse, Baptist Clergyman Warner
Warren C. Johnson..... Minnie G. Farnum.....	Warner..... Concord.....	58 43	Aug. 15..... Concord.....	Carpenter Nurse.....	Warner..... Canada.....	Widowed Single.....	2 John H. Johnson..... 1 Hazen K. Farnum.....	.....	Warner West Concord.....	Farmer Stone Mason.....	Thomas H. Stacy, Minister of the Gos- pel, Concord James McD. Blue, Clergyman.
Luther Bartlett..... Nellie E. Nudd.....	Warner..... Webster.....	23 17	Sept. 23..... Warner.....	Farmer..... Housekeeper.....	Warner..... [Mass. Fall River, Warner.....	" " Divorced.....	1 Charles Bartlett..... 1 Horace Nudd.....	.....	Warner Canterbury.....	Farmer.....	James McD. Blue, Clergyman.
James Kay..... Lillian F. Clark.....	Warner..... ".....	24 24	Sept. 25..... Warner.....	R. R. employee Housekeeper.....	Fall River, Warner.....	" Single.....	1 James Kay..... 2 Amos Clark.....	.....	England Warner.....	Spinner Farmer.....	James McD. Blue, Clergyman.
Thomas Ernest Cayer..... Bessie Melissa Nudd.....	Manchester..... Warner.....	20 22	Nov. 3..... Warner.....	Steam mill op. Housekeeper.....	Manchester..... Warner.....	" Single.....	1 Trefle Cayer..... 1 Horace J. Nudd.....	.....	Canada Canterbury.....	R. R. employee Farmer.....	James McD. Blue, Clergyman.
Ernest D. Blackinton..... Bertha Crain.....	Claremont..... Newport.....	25 18	Nov. 22..... Warner.....	Machinist.....	Union, Me. Washington.....	" "	1 Eugene Blackinton..... 1 George Crain.....	.....	Union, Me. Washington.....	Engineer Livoryman.....	Edwin W. Bishop, Cong. Clergyman, Concord
Charles O. Blake..... Edith S. Colby.....	Warner..... ".....	30 22	Nov. 27..... Concord.....	Engineer. Teacher.....	Andover Warner.....	" "	1 Charles H. Blake..... 1 Fred H. Colby.....	.....	Sutton Warner.....	Engineer Livoryman.....	William J. Clouse, Baptist Clergyman Warner
Carl W. Jewell..... A. Maude Bailey.....	"..... ".....	26 26	Dec. 18..... Warner.....	Farmer..... Housekeeper.....	Warner..... Canada.....	Widowed.....	1 John F. Jewell..... 2 Charles H. Blake.....	.....	Warner Sutton.....	Farmer Engineer.....	William J. Clouse, Baptist Clergyman Warner

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF WARNER FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1906.

Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Place of Death.	Date of Death.			Age.		Place of Birth.		Sex and Condition.		Occupation.	Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden name of Mother.
		Years.	Months.	Days.	Birth.	Male	Female	Color	Single Married or Widowed	Father.		Mother.			
Ephraim M. Dunbar.	Warner.	Jan.	487	2	3	Grantham.	M	F	Widowed	Farmer.	Bridgewater.	Warner.	Bradford Dunbar.	Susanna Morrill.	
Elizabeth H. Greenlaw	"	Jan.	537	5	14	Weeber.	M	F	Married	Housewife.	Webster Mass.	Webster.	Heman B. Sanborn	Clarinda Scribner.	
Hiram G. Patten.	"	Jan.	982	10	9	Hemiker	M	M	"	Farmer.	Deering.	Seabrook.	Jesse Patten.	Mary Gore.	
		Jan.	20	0	0	Warner.	M	M	"	"	Concord.	St. Johnsbury.	Frank N. Paige.	Ida E. Peck.	
Henry H. Davis.	No. Boscawen.	Jan.	2183				M	M	Widowed	Farmer.	Ireland	Sandwich.	Timothy Davis.	Miriam Harvey.	
Henry W. Murphy.	Grasmere.	Feb.	644	3	26	Braintree, Mass.	M	M	Married	Teamster.	"	"	Michael Murphy.	Jane Moulton.	
Oliver John Ratty.	Warner	Feb.	921	5	10	Drummondville.	M	M	Single	Jeweler	Albany, Vt.	Three Rivers.	Frank A. Ratky	Lea Charette.	
James M. Rix.	"	Feb.	1672	1	17	Littleton. [P. Q.]	M	M	Married	Physician.	Dalton.	"	Hale Rix	Adeline Morrill.	
David Mason.	"	Mar.	781	10	4	Washington, Vt.	M	M	Widowed	Farmer.	"	"	Warner	Mary Scribner.	
John H. Frazier.	"	Mar.	1064	3	14	Warner.	M	M	Married	"	"	"	John H. Mason	Maria Hardy.	
Alma A. Bean.	"	Mar.	1359	8	3	New London.	M	F	Widowed	Housewife.	Bradford	Hemiker	Daniel Frazier.	Rebecca Colby.	
Mary D. Davis.	"	Mar.	2287	8	9	Epsom.	M	F	"	"	Epsom.	"	Sherburn Haynes.	Lucy Libby.	
Oliver Bailey.	"	Mar.	2783	10	19	Dunbarton	M	M	Married	Farmer.	Dunbarton	Dunbarton	Oliver Bailey	Janet Mills.	
Abner D. Farnum.	"	Mar.	3179	7	14	Concord.	M	F	Widowed	"	Concord	Concord	Abner D. Farnum	Mary Martin.	
Elizabeth Kimball.	"	April	271	23	Sutton.	"	F	F	"	Housewife.	Brentwood	Warner.	Jonathan Martin.	Mary Melvin.	
Mary E. Day.	Unity.	April	2476	7	23	Bradford	F	F	"	Housewife.	Warner.	Warner.	Samuel Dowlin.	Fannie Stevens.	
Sally B. Buswell.	Warner.	June	2091	6	7	Warner.	F	F	Married	Housewife.	"	"	Caleb Currier.	Ruth Patee.	
Frank Sargent.	"	June	2579	10	13	Concord.	M	F	Widowed	Housewife.	Bennington	Stratham	John Gear.	Abigail Flanders.	
Martha Gear Hill	Concord.	July	258	10	13	Warner.	F	F	"	"	Warner	Hopkinton	Nathan Davis.	Martha Stockbrge	
Augusta G. Chase.	Warner.	July	1990	1	2	Allenston.	F	F	"	"	Meredith	Rowley, Mass.	Joseph F. Foster.	Mary Jewett.	
Lavinia F. Sawyer.	"	Aug.	1859	9	26	Newport.	F	F	Married	"	Newport.	Akworth	Albert Hurd.	Harriet Slisby.	
Harriet A. Adams.	"	Aug.	2072	2	3	Warner.	M	F	"	Farmer.	Warner.	Warner.	John G. Flanders	Nancy A. Tewksb'y	
Harrison C. Flanders	"	Aug.	2226	3	5	"	M	M	Single	Reporter.	"	Bradford	James G. Ela.	Betty Cressey.	
William C. Ela.	Manchester	Sept.	180	3	13	St. Genilaumee	M	M	Widowed	Horse dealer.	France.	France.	Augustin Regnier.	Ruth Colby.	
Augustin Regnier.	Warner.	Sept.	2578	9	17	Warner.	F	F	Single	"	Warner.	Hope, Me.	Ephraim Morrill.	Mary Ladd.	
Mary C. Morrill.	"	Sept.	2832	3	3	Searsmont, Me.	F	F	Married	"	Isleboro, Me.	Warner.	Chesley Haynes.	Betty Flanders.	
Marie D. Berry	"	Sept.	2832	3	3	Searsmont, Me.	F	F	Single	Housekeeper.	Sutton.	Warner.	John Bean.	Charlotte Pierson.	
Joan F. Bean.	"	Oct.	1765	4	29	Salsbury	M	F	"	Farmer.	Hopkinton.	Sutton.	Warren H. Dow.	Polly Sibley.	
Samuel W. Dow.	"	Nov.	517	5	5	Concord.	M	F	"	"	"	Hopkinton.	Timothy Eastman	Fannie Stevens.	
Leura Collins.	"	Nov.	685	9	8	Warner.	F	F	Widowed	"	"	Bradford	Barnard Hoyt.	Sally Hoyt.	
Sarah Eastman.	"	Nov.	3065	9	8	Warner.	F	F	Married	"	"	Warner.	Luther Bartlett.	Rebecca Flanders.	
Rhoda B. Bean.	"	Dec.	1770	3	1	"	M	M	"	Farmer.	"	"	Harison G. Harris	Mary Bartlett.	
Charles Bartlett.	"	P.	2779	23	"	"	M	M	"	Ret. Shoe M't	"	"	Nathan Maxson.	Sally Cheney.	
Augustus G. Harris.	Concord.	D.	2789	8	12	Bradford	M	M	Widowed	Blacksmith.	Harvard, Mass.	Harvard, Mass.	Nathan Maxson.	Stephen Bartlett.	
Nathan Maxson, Jr.	Sutton.	D.	2789	6	10	Bradford	M	F	Single	Housekeeper.	Warner.	Warner.	Stephen Bartlett.	Sophia Currier.	
Mary C. Bartlett.	Warner.	D.	3175	2	6	Warner.	M	F	"	"	Warner.	Warner.	Stephen Bartlett.	Sophia Currier.	

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Warner, N. H., February 15, 1907.

OSCAR E. JEWELL, Town Clerk.

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DEATH STATISTICS—CONTINUED.

Disease or cause of death.	Occupation of Fath-r.
Valvular Heart Disease.....	Farmer.....
Exhaustion.....	"
Cancer.....	"
Stillborn.....	"
Organic Heart Disease.....	Laborer.....
Spinal Meningitis.....	Engineer.....
Tuberculosis.....	Farmer.....
Gall Stones.....	"
Senility and fracture of	"
Femur.....	"
Paresis.....	"
Purpura hemorrhathin.....	"
Paralysis.....	"
Pneumonia.....	"
Organic Heart Disease.....	Tanner.....
Senile Dementia.....	Farmer.....
Paralysis.....	"
Cancer of Ear.....	"
Angina Pectoris.....	Shoemaker.....
Old Age.....	Manufacturer.....
Chronic Endocarditis.....	Farmer.....
Angina Pectoris.....	"
Tuberculosis.....	"
Acute indigestion.....	"
Paralysis.....	Farmer.....
Diabetes.....	"
Uremia.....	Sailor.....
Tuberculosis.....	Farmer.....
Heart Disease.....	Blacksmith.....
Oedema of Larynx.....	Farmer.....
Pulmonary Tuberculosis.....	"
Cerebral Hemorrhage.....	"
Bright's Disease.....	Lawyer.....
Heart Disease.....	Farmer.....
Cancer.....	"

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